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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 7, 2004

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the final decision dated May 7, 2004 of the Primary Examiner, finally rejecting claims 7, 9, 11 and 22-26. The items below are appropriate:

An Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time were filed on September 7, 2004 and a Petition for Extension of Time was filed on October 7, 2004.

The fee of \$340.00 for this Notice is also submitted.

To the extent necessary, applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 501.37519X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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